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## WASHINGTON.

Some Democrats do not Tackle Kindly to Rosecrans.

The Chinese Bill Occupies the House—Page is Pressing It Through—Sherman Vindicated.

[Associated Press Dispatches.]

WASHINGTON, March 17th.—There is said to be much bad feeling among certain Democratic members at the selection of Gen. Rosecrans as Chairman of the Campaign Committee. Those who favored Flower say that Rosecrans is too old, and his selection puts the party on the defensive at once with reference to Garfield's friends, and to the anti-Catholic sentiment of the country. Senator Farley has declined service on the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, and Senator Grover has been chosen in his place. Senator McPherson also declined.

### INTERESTED LISTENERS.

The debate on the Chinese bill to-day, though not of an exciting nature, was on the whole decidedly an interesting one, as was also the case yesterday. The House manifested more than common interest in the subject under discussion by maintaining an unusually large attendance of attentive listeners.

### PAGE IS PESSING THE BILL.

On account of the large number of members desiring to speak, Page has given notice that he will call the previous question on the Chinese bill to-morrow at 3 o'clock, unless to-morrow be devoted as usual to private bills, and in that event he will call the previous question at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

### THE CHINESE BILL IN THE HOUSE.

In the House yesterday Page spoke at some length on the Chinese bill. He showed clearly the necessity for the passage of such a bill, recapitulating various arguments familiar to the people of the Pacific coast. He appealed in strong terms to the Republicans to come to the rescue of the bill. It had been said that polygamy was the twin sister of slavery. He asserted that it was the twin barbarism of Chinese immigration. The merits of the pending bill were then discussed by Robinson, Tyler of Vermont, and Rice of Massachusetts. Willis, of Kentucky, was the first speaker.

**FIRST SPEAKER**  
In the House to speak yesterday on the Chinese bill. He congratulated the people of California and the people of the whole country that they were at last to receive substantial, if not entire, relief from the evils of Chinese immigration. He followed by entering into a thorough investigation of the question, showing conclusively that the presence of the Chinese was a disturbing and non-assimilating element. The bill was warranted by law and the instinct of self-preservation and by the demand of the lowest patriotism. He was followed by Cassidy, of Nevada, who, after briefly reviewing the question, argued that the bill was not only expedient but right under the Constitution, the.

### LAW AND THE TREATY.

Taylor, of Ohio, spoke against the bill. It violated the existing treaty between the United States and China. The terms of the bill were unusual and cruel. He opposed the measure because it was unnecessary and dangerous. It was such a measure as was only justifiable on the ground of necessity, as homicide was justifiable in self-defense. He argued that the bill was unnecessary. What did the people of California want of this law? He said they had it in their power to prevent immigration if they hated the Chinese, and contended that if Chinese immigration would degrade labor, why was it they employed these immigrants? He was followed briefly by Briggs, of New Hampshire, and Morse, of Massachusetts. Blount, of Georgia, spoke in advocacy of the bill. He mentioned various features of the measure. He said he favored every paragraph in the bill, and hoped it would pass without any amendment. The bill was then laid over.

### IT IS INEXPEDIENT.

At the caucus of Republican Representatives last night a resolution was adopted without dissent to the effect that any legislation at present looking to the reduction of internal revenue taxes on whisky, tobacco and cigars is inexpedient, but some relief should be accorded by Congress by extending the time in which whisky may remain in bond without the payment of the tax.

### THE MAIL SERVICE.

The Committee on Postoffices has authorized Ferry to report to the Senate an amendment to the Postoffice Appropriation bill, appropriating \$2,500,000 per annum to enable the Postmaster General to pay for ocean mail service by American ships.

### SHERMAN VINDICATED.

The report of the committee investigating the Treasury expenses is very voluminous and completely vindicates Secretary Sherman. The committee recommended certain safeguards against the illegal use of the Treasury Contingent Fund in the future.

### HOW IT WORKS AT OGDEN.

Ogden, Utah, March 16.—Nine polygamists out of the eleven members composing the City Council of this city have resigned, and it is said that the vacancies have been filled by the Mayor by the appointment of others who are not polygamists in practice.

## PHILADELPHIA PATRIOTISM.

### WORKMEN'S Anti-Chinese Demonstration.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 17.—A labor demonstration, in which probably 2,000 people participated, was held at Horticultural hall to-night by a number of workingmen's organizations of this city. Wm. Mooney, of the Shoemaker's Assembly and Knights of Labor, presided. A number of transparencies were carried by clubs, which marched to the hall with Labor Rights' inscriptions in great variety on them, most of them being directed against the Chinese. John Swinton, of New York, was the first speaker. He was followed by Philip Van Patton, of Detroit, and P. J. McGuire. Congressman Chas. Drumm was to have been one of the speakers, but he sent word that he was unable to leave Washington owing to the pendency of the Chinese bill. The following resolution was passed.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the action of the Senate of the United States in passing the Anti-Chinese bill, and that the officers of this meeting be instructed to forward to the Speaker of the House of Representatives as representatives of workingmen of Philadelphia petition for passage of said bill and thus remove the Chinese from maintaining an unusually large attendance of attentive listeners.

### Indicting the Rioters.

OMAHA, Neb., March 16.—The Grand Jury presented an indictment for assault to murder against President Walsh and Councilman Shannon of the Labor Union. They were arrested and lodged in jail over night.

The railroad track is laid to within fifty miles of Magdalena, the graders being within three miles. Manager Robinson expects the road to be constructed to the line by October 1st. It is raining in Tucson. The weather is moderate.

## MEXICAN NEWS.

### The Railroad—Weather—Behind the Bars—Business.

GUAYMAS, Mexico, March 9, via Tucson, March 17.—The Sonora Railroad is now out sixty miles from Hermosillo. Work on the road is delayed by want of ties. Three vessels are due. The road is graded twenty-four miles ahead.

The coldest weather for many years is now being felt here. Ice formed one-half an inch thick.

Last night a saloon keeper named Spain attempted to jump the town, leaving his debts behind, but now languishes behind the bars.

Stages for Tucson via Altar and Magdalena now leave Carbo.

Business of all kinds improving. A large amount of freight is going to the interior.

TUCSON, March 17.—Col. Sam Branman arrived from Guaymas last night. He reports that Gen. Ortiz, in command of the State troops, is now in pursuit of the Apaches, near the headwaters of the Yaqui river. Affairs in the State are in a very prosperous condition. The influx of Americans is increasing rapidly, both by stages and steamers. Many families are going into the State. Mining properties are being purchased by Americans. The rainfall in the State this season has been larger than known for many years, while the crops throughout the State are promising. There is a large increase in the acreage over any previous year. The Yaqui Indians especially have planted a largely increased quantity of land.

The railroad track is laid to within four indictions, it is in jail, not yet having been able to give the requisite bail of four thousand dollars. He is President of Lorano Labor Union and is the chief ringleader in all demonstrations and has uttered the most incendiary speeches. Other arrests are to immediately follow. No excitement to-day.

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### In the Snow Drifts.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17th.—The snow blockade on the Central Pacific continues. Advice from Emigrant Gap say that a snow plow, with eight engines, just cleared the road between Truckee and Blue Canyon. Two sections of the west-bound passenger, as also the west-bound emigrant with two plows, are stuck between Alta and Blue Canyon. One section of the east-bound passenger is also lying there while the Judge was in.

### EIGHT FEET OF SNOW.

TRUCKEE, March 17.—The fury of the heavy storm has been broken. It has been snowing at intervals all day, but not enough to make any perceivable increase in the snow on the ground. Between four and five feet of new snow has fallen up to the present time, then with that which was already on the ground when the present storm set in, making between seven and eight feet altogether. By the most strenuous efforts on the part of the railroad manager, the track has been kept open between here and the Blue Canyon since yesterday. Snow plows all kept going all the time in order to clear all the road as it is blockaded between Alta and Blue Canyon. There is no traffic on the same. We have had but two mails this week, and our citizens feel as though they were living in the wildness.

### WINTER FEET AND MORE COMING.

EMIGRANT GAP, March 17.—Of two plows bound east, one is broken down at Gold Run and the other is stuck west of Blue Canyon. The snow is about twelve feet deep. It is snowing now: wind south. There are one hundred and twenty men working between Blue Canyon and Alta, shoveling snow. The chances are slim of any trains getting through to-night. Plows are still there with eight engines, waiting for orders. Wells, Fargo & Co. are transferring letters between Truckee and Alta by carriers on snow shoes. Still snowing; wind southwest.

### Tired of Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Adolph Heinrich, a native of Germany aged twenty-nine years, committed suicide at six o'clock this evening at the residence No. 281 Clara street, by shooting himself through the heart. The deceased was a cigar-maker by occupation. For a year past he has been in poor health.

### Albion-Richmond Decision.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—A Carson dispatch says in the case of Albion vs. Richmond Mining Companies, on appeal in the Supreme Court, it was today decided that the St. George and Victoria patents were void, and reversed the judgment of the District Court, and remanded the case with instructions to the District Court to enter proper judgment in favor of plaintiffs for all that portion of the lode westerly of the westerly end of the Tiptop claim, and make the injunction against the defendants perpetual. Judgment is to be entered in favor of defendant for that portion of the lode easterly of the west end of the line of the Tiptop.

### AFTERNOON STOCKS.

California, 85c; Ophir, 34c; Nevada 74; Eureka, 20; Overman, 45c; Utah, 44; Diablo, 64; Belle, 84; Brown, 75c; Bodie, 44; Tiptop, 44; King, 174.

## TURN-VEREIN HALL.

### On account of the prevailing storm, the

### GRAND OPERA CONCERT

By the renowned Contralto,

### SIGNORA GEMMA TIZZOZZO,

Has been postponed to

### MONDAY, MARCH 20th,

### AT TURNVEREIN HALL,

At which time Mme. MARIA Miles, Nonna FERNER, PEACHEY, EVANS, and Messrs. REES and ABERNATHY, and a Chorus of the best Lady and Gentlemen artists of Los Angeles will take part in the popular Opera by Verdi.

### IL TROVATORE.

#### PROGRAMME.

##### PART FIRST—CONCERT.

1—Overture by the Orchestra.

2—Grand Air de l'Opera "Giulietta i Romeo".

3—Duet in English.

4—The Grand Air from "La Favorita,"

By SIGNORA GEMMA TIZZOZZO.

5—Duet "Boat Song".

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THE TIMES office is connected with the telegraph system of this city, and those desiring to advertise in or subscribe for this paper can do so by this means.

The TIMES can also be found at the newsstands of the Palace and Occidental Hotels and Russ House, San Francisco.

## DEMOCRATIC UNRESTNESS.

The fret and wear and tear of mind in the average Democrat must be terrible, if we are to judge by the tone of the party organs, especially that of a highly esteemed contemporary. To prophesy the ruin of the country for twenty-two long years, and not weary, is a task Herculean in itself. And still there was at times something to relieve the work of its hugeness, for there was an unpleasantness that sent to untimely graves hundreds of thousands of men, and the unfriendly hands of foreign governments were more than half lifted against us in league with our own rebels. But the stout hands of the people joined the stouter hearts of the Republicans and bore back all enemies, domestic and foreign, and the country was saved. Again, when our finances were demoralized and the interest of the immense debt of the rebellion was bearing insupportably heavy upon our people, and foreign capital gave a cold shoulder to our securities, there came to the front the wisdom of the Republican financiers and reduced our interest in the sum of millions, and placed our bonds among the most favored securities in all the great money centers of the world, and sent business in all our borders on such a boom as was never before known. And yet our esteemed contemporary intimates that the Republican party cannot be trusted with the disbursement of money to build us a navy.

It is well for justice and humanity that the average Americans have been superior to the Democracy, and that they have had the better intelligence to know who were the saviors of the country and the conservators of its credit and promoters of its prosperity. That they have is well proved by the successive elections that gave us Lincoln for two terms, Grant for two terms, and Hayes and Garfield for two terms. Thus the people have endured this kind of prosperous democratic destruction, for twenty-one years, and with every indication of perpetuating the rule indefinitely. Now this state of things may be testimony to a Democrat that the rulers of the nation in all these years have been wanting in patriotism, but it is evident the people do not believe the version of that a democratic editor would give. The school, the pulpit and the printing press have wrought a work in the past forty years the Democrat wots not of, or else he persistently ignores. It is a notable fact in proof of the assertion that knowledge is power; that as soon as a people become educated they are inclined to break away from the thralldom of party and trample under foot the shackles that bound them. Knowing for themselves the truth or falsity of the sophistries which democratic leaders and scribblers would cram down the throats of the people, they repudiate them, and vote for the truth and its representatives. Hence is it that the people continue the Republicans in power, content with the past and present, and trustful of the future with a faith that a patriotic devotion to country is still extant in the Republican party.

## PRECIOUS METALS.

The yield of precious metals in the States and Territories west of the Missouri, including British Columbia, for the year 1881, was \$84,504,417, and was divided partially as follows:

California	\$18,020,677
Nevada	11,475,564
Oregon	1,189,615
Arizona	8,198,766

## WOOL.

The total wool clip of 1881 is put at 43,204,700 pounds. Our exports are valued at \$7,000,000. The value of our home consumption we find no figures for.

An attempt was made to smuggle some women into San Francisco from a China steamer a few days since, brought evidently for immoral purposes, which failed. A law specially designed to cover such cases was enacted in 1875, which makes it compulsory for all Chinese women to present a certificate of good character, and to insure identification the certificate is accompanied with a photograph of the woman and a duplicate is sent to the authorities in this country. There were ten women on the Anjer Head, which reached San Francisco on Wednesday, but five of the photographs failed to correspond with the appearance of the holders and they will be returned whence they came.

LIEUTENANT MELVILLE writes to his wife that he undertakes the search for De Long and party solely because ordered so to do by superiors. He is convinced that they have all long since perished.

## CALIFORNIA'S BUSINESS.

The following statistics will show what California is doing in the way of commercial products. The figures are from the San Francisco Commercial Herald's review for 1881:

Wheat products of California in 1881, 40,000,000 bushels.

Wheat and flour exports in 1881, 23,361,744 cents.

Sugar imports for 1881, 121,435,900 pounds.

California beet sugar product in 1881, 1,410,553 pounds.

Imports of foreign sugars for the last 12 years, 799,945,810 pounds.

Coffee imports for 1881, 15,343,034 pounds.

Rice imports for 1881, 56,922,968 pounds.

Tea imports for 1881, 17,893,507 pounds.

Gold and silver yield in 1881, \$77,000,000.

Gold product of the Pacific Coast since 1848, \$1,976,470,000.

Silver product of the States and Territories west of the Missouri river since 1858, \$529,735,800.

Increase of immigration in 1881, 28,897 souls.

Banking capital of the State, \$175,000,000.

Wool clip in 1881, 43,204,700 pounds.

Product of wine for 1881, 9,500,000 gallons.

Merchandise export values by sea in 1881, \$53,664,352.

Barley crop of California in 1881, 2,000,000 cents.

Quicksilver produce in California in 1881, 58,635 flasks.

## BLAINE'S ORATION.

The matter of Mr. Blaine's oration on the dead President, as well as the manner of its delivery, has met with the warmest encomiums of the entire country. We are faint to copy one criticism from Harper's Weekly, evidently written by an eye-witness:

"Throughout the hour and a half of the delivery he stood quietly resting his hands upon the sides of the little desk, raising them only once or twice, and in clear measured cadences he read the discourse. His manner, like the address,

## MAKE HAY WHILE THE SUN SHINES.

Beyond any reasonable peradventure hay will be a profitable crop during the whole of the coming year, notwithstanding the solid assurances of a good season. Our reasons for this belief are in the facts that there is little of any old hay on hand, and our market eastward not diminish, and our local consumption will largely increase through the increase of population and stock for the uses thereof. With a good grass crop much native grass hay can be secured for the mere raking of it up, and all of this should be secured. It is probably not too late to seed for a hay crop. Those who have suitable ground cannot do better than plow and seed during the balance of this month, as beyond a peradventure, the April showers will make a crop.

It is probably correct to say that hay will be quite as profitable as barley at the average summer price. We have felt in duty bound to call the attention of our friends to this matter, hoping they may profit by the suggestion.

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## ABOUT TOWN.

TIMES are good in Los Angeles. All yesterday was beautiful, sunshiny and warm.

Esthetician is the old Dolly Varden craze renewed.

The Antinori Concert is announced for to-morrow night.

The San Diego steamers have ceased carrying United States mail.

Deputy Sheriff Huber goes this evening to San Quentin with three criminals.

Miss Lillie Bullis and John Nickerson were married last night at Compton.

C. F. Niece is putting in a handsome bay window in front of his drug store.

Merrill Lodge No. 399 meets this evening at the hall, over Dotter & Bradley's store.

There is to be a marriage in town tonight. The TIMES will make it known to-morrow.

A few more warm days like yesterday will cause the grass to grow so fast you can hear it crackle.

The sycamore trees are almost the first to bud. Everywhere in this vicinity they are quite well leafed out.

The telephone system of this city will shortly be extended so as to include every town in Southern California.

The "inclemency of the weather" paragraph will now take a rest—till the next "inclemency of the weather."

Tomales are said to be dead bats and red pepper hashed up in corn husks. They are very toothsome for all that, though.

Yesterday afternoon a little urchin named Freddy Downey met with a severe fall on the sidewalk in front of the Cosmopolitan.

The Ivy and University nines will play to-day at Agricultural Park, this being the first of three games for a ten dollar bat.

The funeral of Harvey Rhodes will take place to-day at 2 p. m., from his late residence on College street, near the French Hospital.

A large number of people were in town yesterday from the country, having taken advantage of the sunny weather to come in to trade.

A sheep owner of this vicinity who sold two thousand sheep at \$3.25 per head, three weeks ago, will not sell any more at less than \$4 each.

A street vendor, on the sidewalk in front of the United States Hotel, yesterday kept a crowd about him purchasing his wares, the greater part of the day.

Fred Holbrook has commenced suit against E. J. Baldwin, in Justice Adams' Court, for the payment of money due for pipe laid on Baldwin's place.

E. A. Edwards, of the Continental Oil and Transportation Company, shipped a car load of kerosene oil each to Benson and Tucson, Arizona, two days ago.

A large frame building has just been completed in the rear of A. L. Bush's establishment on Spring street, which is to be used as a manufacturing institution.

It is reported that the new Hellman-Childs block near the Cosmopolitan Hotel will be occupied as a mammofurniture and carpet house by Dotter & Bradley.

Jacob Cahon, of the firm of Cahon Bros., San Francisco, has been here two or three weeks purchasing hides, pelts, etc. During his stay he purchased over \$18,000 worth of sheep pelts.

The Good Templars have again postponed their entertainment, which had been announced for to-night. Next Saturday evening is now fixed upon as the time it will surely be given.

It is rumored that E. J. Baldwin, of Santa Anita, is making arrangements to build two fine brick buildings on Spring street, opposite the court house, one on each side of W. C. Furey's hardware store. One need not long remain lone.

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## LOS ANGELES.

## First Impressions of a Stranger on Visiting the City.

A LIVE TOWN—Strange Sights—The Chinese Quarters—Cosmopolitan—The Schools—The Markets.

(Correspondence of the Chronicle, Walton, N. Y.)

As we came to this city with the intention of locating in its vicinity, it was with especial interest that we looked about us to note the character of the town as to its size, its people, its schools, its markets, and its probable future. It is the largest town in Southern California, and contains from twelve to fifteen thousand inhabitants, there being only four larger cities in the State, namely: San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento and San Jose. We have no sooner left the cars than we are struck with the bustle and activity about us, and make up our mind that we are in a "live town." As we ride from the depot to the business part of the town, evidences of enterprise greet our eyes on every side. Great flouring mills, immense warehouses, and lumber yards show that business is flourishing. Arriving on Main street we find fine hotels,

## LARGE BUSINESS BLOCKS.

Newspaper offices, and the bustle and activity of most towns of much larger size. We are not yet over our surprise at the amount of business transacted here. At nearly all times of the day shopkeepers are hurried, and the streets are full. For a month or two past business has not been quite so active, because of the fears that we were to experience a dry winter, but in November, a prominent hardware merchant told us his only trouble was to get goods as fast as he could sell them. In the many cities that we have visited from New York here, we have seen none of the size of this that was.

## SO CROWDED.

And did the business Los Angeles apparently does.

In a walk about town, one sees strangely different sights. In one part is the old Spanish town with its queer, one story, thick-walled, adobe houses, some of which stood over one hundred years. Here, a brimmed hat and his pants with rows of silver buttons down the side and a cloak over his shoulders. Here are dark haired señoritas with snapping, black eyes looking out from under bright colored shawls. It is simply a portion of the old Aztec empire left in the centre of a progressive town of our great republic.

In another part of the town are the Chinese quarters, with the joss house and the oriental custom of its almond-eyed inhabitants, is a little

## CHIPS FROM CHINA.

Drifted across the wide Pacific and landed on American shores. Then there are Frenchmen and Spaniards, and Germans and Jews and Indians, and people from every State in the Union and the "four quarters of the globe," gathered here for health, or pleasure or profit.

A ride down First street gives us a sight of the beauty of new and refined architecture, its well-kept lawns, its evergreen trees, trimmed in all sorts of fanciful shapes, pyramidal, cylindrical, spherical, octagonal and many other geometrical forms, with its orange trees and palms, and its geranium hedges. It is the loveliest midwinter sight we have ever looked upon.

As we said, the people are from every clime, and numbers are arriving daily. Many come because of the

## HEALTHFULNESS.

Of the place, and one sees more sick people here than in any other city in the United States. Many need not remain, sick long if they go about health-getting in the right way. Every few days we meet some one from some place in the East where we have lived, and several are here from our old home among the hills of Delaware county. One need not long remain long.

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## ENTHUSIASM.

Among teachers manifested here. As the teachers are from many Normal schools in all parts of the United States, there was a great exchange of ideas and methods, and the time was too short to discuss each new topic. The County Superintendent and his teachers are genial, cultured, enthusiastic, educational workers, and we feel honored to be a member of such a body.

The grain market continues fluctuating, the stability of prices depending considerably on the future development of crops.

Hay is taking a decided downward tendency, having been offered freely by dealers yesterday from \$13.00 to \$16.00 per ton.

Oranges, lemons, and limes are advancing steadily. Potatoes, notably San Francisco imports, are advancing also.

## EASTERN STAR SOCIAL.

## A Very Pleasant Affair—The Solid Quadrille.

The ladies of Acacia Chapter gave another of their pleasant socials last evening at Masonic Hall, and when the ladies of this Chapter do give a social it is indeed earnest. A programme of four numbers was rendered as follows: Instrumental solo, Miss Peabody; recitation, Mr. Tom Barnes; recitation, Mr. Baasenque; instrumental solo, Miss Mamie Woodworth. Dancing was then in order, and was kept up until the coffee got the best of the cooks, and then we repaired to the dining room and dined sumptuously on a splendid lunch. Dancing was then kept up until an early hour this morning. A new feature in dancing was the "solid quadrille," which attracted attention from all parts of the hall. Chas. E. Day didn't dance in that set. Oh, no. May the ladies remember us at their next social.

## A Give Away.

A reporter of the TIMES having occasion to interview a native Californian, the following dialogue took place:

Reporter—Do you speak English?

Native—No, senor.

Rep.—Que es el nombre de este loma?

Nat.—La Calle (pronouncing it la kai-yay).

Rep.—No senor, lo es la calle (pronouncing it la kai-yay).

Nat.—Oh, but it is all the same, it is no different English.

Rep.—But I thought you couldn't speak English!

The native suddenly had business that required attention.

## Gold Hunters.

To show how much greater the magnetic attraction of gold is than iron, it has only to be said that yesterday upwards of fifty people were drawn to the place that the TIMES had indicated as having gold, and some even went so far as to take along a pick and shovel. Some good prospectors investigated the black sand, and traced it from Olive street back to the flume, and think there are favorable indications of a ledge somewhere from which it comes. There may be a Tombstone or Bodie near here yet.

## Limestone.

Extensive beds of limestone have recently been discovered about ten miles from the city, near the Arroyo Seco, in the vicinity of Pasadena. The experiments already made with it have demonstrated its excellent quality, not only for building purposes but also as a substitute for that expensive article—Roman cement—in the manufacture of irrigating pipes. Los Angeles county may well be congratulated on the diversity of its products.

## From Out the Ashes.

Harper, Reynolds & Co. have purchased 55 feet front by 145 feet deep on Los Angeles street, near the U. S. Hotel, from Jose Mascal. They have made arrangements with Mr. Rivera whereby they secure a store 40 feet front by 130 feet deep in their own property, making a total depth from Main street to Los Angeles street of 275 ft. They will build a brick building on the property at once.

## A Good Speculation.

About a year ago Mr. A. R. Loomis purchased the Spring street planing mill property for \$6,000. Yesterday he sold the same property to Mr. E. F. Spence, of the first National Bank, for \$11,000. Such instances as this show the prosperity of the city more plainly than words can express. Mr. Spence is a very careful financier, and it indicates the real intrinsic worth of the property when investments are made by such men.

## A Good Death.

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## There's Many Slip.

There is always the possibility, in the best regulated newspaper—and no one who has never run a daily paper knows what ceaseless vigilance is required to prevent it happening often—or a paragraph creeping into its columns which would not be endorsed by its management, but which would, on the contrary, be preemptorily relegated to the waste basket, if seen. In well managed papers, however, it is considered as though unavoidable. They are an incident of the trouble which is said to occur in "the best regulated families."

Verily, that is as well said as it could be.

## A San Francisco Rates.

E. A. Edwards, of the Continental Oil and Transportation Company, has just received a car load of white lead from the Omaha White Lead Co. He received a car load of paints and oils a few days ago, and expects a car load of turpentine in two or three days, all of which will hereafter be sold to dealers at San Francisco wholesale rates, thus saving the freight from San Francisco to Los Angeles, which is an important item, especially in turpentine, amounting to six cents per gallon. The regulated families.

It is the opinion of the San Francisco

newspapers that the San Francisco

newspapers are right in their opinion.

## A New Cottage.

Mrs. M. L. Ferguson is going to build a new six room cottage on the lot cornering Seventh and Flower streets. Mrs. Ferguson built a five room cottage recently, which she has just sold, on Spring street, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

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## STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

For this part of the State is building on one of the many low hills overlooking the city.

There are eight or nine churches and a Jewish Synagogue. Several daily papers are published, all facilities for the world's news and general information.

The market for surplus of those in the interior.

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## CHEAPER THAN IN NEW YORK.

The cost of flour is from \$6 to \$7 per barrel, and the finest cuts of meat are but fifteen cents per pound, although things brought from the East are higher than there because of the freights.

In another article we shall have something to say regard to the climate, its neatness, its healthfulness, its proximity to the sea port, its railroad facilities, and the wonderful agricultural possibilities of the surrounding country must give it a glorious future, and we believe, a few years hence, it will be one of the wealthiest and most cultured cities in the United States, as it is now one of the most delightful cities on the globe.

EDWARD L. PIERCE.

SIRNA MADRE, Cal.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

## A FUNNY FORGER.

One Time When "White" Lies Did Not Good—Rutherford Caught.

In November last a man named James Rutherford came to the postoffice here, and claimed to be a Thomas D. White. He exhibited letters from a James R. White, of Condersport, Pennsylvania, which said that there were some money orders for Thomas here. A week after the counterfeit Thomas got his money. About two weeks after J. R. White wrote here for a description of the man who got the money, stating that his brother had gone to Arizona with Rutherford, and had been arrested for forgery. The police were put upon the track, and Rutherford was captured in San Francisco last Thursday. Postmaster Dunkelberger in answer to a telegram, to identify Jimmie.

## Dey Light.

The light, which had failed to shine for some time, again saw the light of day yesterday. Mr. John R. Dey has assumed the business management and Rev. J. W. Ellis will continue as its editor. It comes out bright and sparkling with just the needed moral truths for the time.

## AT THE HOTELS.

UNITED STATES HOTEL.

Jno Ranch, San Diego; Jas McPadden, Westminister; G R Goodwin, Elmonte; L E Dupuy, Orange; S L Short, Santa Ana; P C Tonner, Orange; Wm Cunningham, Pasadena; B F McDonald, Anaheim; Jno Hancock, Newhall; S Foxley, San Luis Obispo; A W Ivanoff, San Francisco; P Clark, San Juan Capistrano; Mrs Wood, Anaheim; M Graham, Santa Ana; C C Rhodes, Santa Ana; M H Wright, Spadra; G P Rotter, Ventura; S White, Ventura; Jno A Lawler, Ventura; George D Porter,

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Railroad Time Table.

The following table will give the departure and arrival of all trains and from this city by the Southern Pacific Railroad:

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Akron	4:50 P. M.	8:20 A. M.
Benton	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Casa Grande	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Colombia	(Corresponded Daily by the American Cash Store 48 and 50 Spring street, Los Angeles.)	4:55 P. M.
Local (Sundays excepted)	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Deming & Express	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
East (Emigrant)	5:30 P. M.	1:15 A. M.
Elo-Pax, Tex.	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
Laramie	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
S. F. R. R. to the East	5:15 P. M.	7:55 A. M.
Maricopa	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
Prescott	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
San Francisco	8:25 A. M.	2:10 P. M.
" (third class)	8:45 A. M.	2:15 P. M.
Santa Monica	4:20 P. M.	4:45 P. M.
" (Sunday only)	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
Santa Ana	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
San Diego	9:35 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Tombstone	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
Tucson	8:25 A. M.	4:45 P. M.
Wilmington	10:25 A. M.	2:15 P. M.
Yuma	8:25 A. M.	4:45 A. M.
" (third class)	5:30 P. M.	4:45 A. M.

## FUNNY GRAPHS.

When it once becomes known that fire-scapers are handy to have around when creditors call, every one of the men too mean to provide them for employ, will at once expect them for their own accommodation.

Rubber Stampers of the latest and most improved designs can be obtained at J. A. Valder's, 49 Spring street. They are guaranteed to be first-class in every respect, and sold at San Francisco prices.

The ladies all go to C. F. Niece's Drug Store, 52 Main street, for first-class toilet articles. Try him.

"Well," says a canvasser, "I must keep walking and talking. That's the way I get my living, and that's the way I'm going to get it." And he makes mistakes and tell lies as seldom as it is convenient.—Yonkers Gazette.

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Good day!—The Toledo American.

P. O. Donnell, of the Los Angeles Pioneer Iron Foundry and Machine Shop, corrugated and Garcia streets, manufactures steam engines, saw and wind mills, pumps, iron castings, etc. Repairing of machinery, particularly doors. Pattern making of all kinds. Marlin Inn.

No tidings have been received from Stanley, the explorer, for two years. It is rumoured that he did not go to Africa, but that he joined the New York police force and has gone to sleep on his best.—Williamport Breakfast Table.

Take your prescriptions to C. F. Niece's Drug Store, 52 Main street, next door to St. Charles Hotel.

A good husband, like a good base-burner, never goes out nights.—Toledo American.

Harbert, 82 Spring street, gives a good lunch for five cents. Soup at all hours. Try him.

The greater hurry you're in, the more liable your shoe-strings are to come untied.—Puck.

Seized School for boys at the Round House. Held at entrance from Spring st., near corner of Third. For terms inquire at school. The Classics, Natural Sciences, Higher Mathematics, etc., a specialty.

If life were but a game of cards what advantage the human man would have! He would always the deal, you see.—Newton Republican.

Call on Vidal &amp; Castillon, watchmakers and jewelers, 8 Commercial street, when you want repairing of watches or jewelry nearly done at moderate prices. Satisfaction warranted.

Provisions are so dear this year that cooks have been discontinued in boarding-houses of the highest tone which is rough on the codfish aristocracy.—Andrews' Queen.

The Pacific Wagon Company, Main street, Los Angeles, have a large stock of carriages and wagons, comprising about a dozen different styles in each, and among them a Calcutta carriage, which is the handsomest ever imported into Southern California.

A New Yorker, who lost an eye on a 3d-street horse-car, has obtained \$10,000 damage from the company. In New York an eye is worth all of \$10,000, for a New Yorker has to have his eye taken out before he can open to prevent his bottom friend from standing over him.

Madame L. Ferri Delphos, Calona Block, cuts and makes dresses in the most fashionable style and superior manner. She has just brought from San Francisco a choice assortment of silks, velvets, satins and brocades; also trimmings to match.

When a person, like a ballot-box? When it is stuffed, it looks like a bomb. What is it like? A rooster's top-notch feather. When it is tufted? Ear Marbles. And when is it like a man training for a prize-fight? When it is toughed—Steubenville Herald.

Mrs. W. R. Hughes, Fashionable Dress Maker, recently from San Francisco, has located at No. 11 Main street, opposite Pico House, Los Angeles. First class work warranted. Bridal and party dresses a specialty.

"Why," asks an English writer, "does dance master chase us and sacred make no solanum?" He should come to this country and attend one of our fashionable dances where sacred music is wedded to dance tunes and a corset is employed to aid in dancing the waltz without a shadow of a cloud.

The California Bakery, upper Main street, is the best place in the city, bread, pies, cakes, etc., of every description. Give me call, I will guarantee satisfaction.

A college girl at Hillsdale declares she would like to be a buggy-wheel, for then, you know, she would have so many fellos.—Detroit Chaff.

She would probably soon get tired of being a wheel, however. As far as I am concerned, when it is tufted—Ear Marbles. And when is it like a man training for a prize-fight? When it is toughed—Steubenville Herald.

Oliver Wendell Holmes is average to punning, because no matter how brilliant a pun he might produce it could never be considered good work. Other than "Ho" puns—such as "Ho" puns—such as "Ho" puns—probably, his chief d'œuvre is only ranked as a one-horse Shay—Bacon. And this is the Bacon's chef-d'œuvre. But then, they are both bacon, which accounts for it.—Richmond (Va.) States.

Before leaving the city do not fail to call at Smadie's Trousseau Parlors, 55 Main st., and surrender yourself to the manipulations of his skillful artists. Elegant parlor with private entrance for ladies.

A "mysterious" piaso was given, on his birthday, a pia containing half a hundred gold coins, and a sum of money, for never having seen anything but pennies and nickles, he came very nearey nothing. Fortunately a professional jeweler was present to be of service to him the mass and value of the strange coins.

Travelers can enjoy the delightful pleasures of the bath at Yostand's magnificent bathing rooms, 55 Main street, where also can be found hot and cold shower baths. Special arrangements are made for ladies, with separate entrances for ladies.

## THE MARKETS.

A Daily Record of the Los Angeles Markets.

## RETAIL.

GROCERIES &amp; PROVISIONS.

[Corrected Daily by the American Cash Store 48 and 50 Spring street, Los Angeles.]

## SUGAR.

Powdered, 7½ lbs for.

Cubes, 8 lbs for.

Dry Granulated, 8½ lbs for.

Extra C. 9 lbs for.

Extra C. 9½ lbs for.

D. 11 lbs for.

Marked in sugar bags and an advance expected.

## COFFEE—GREEN.

Choice Grade, 5 lbs for.

Common Costa Rica, 7 lbs for.

Choice Rio, 5 lbs for.

Medium Rio, 6 lbs for.

Caracolito, choice, 5 lbs for.

Java, choice, 4 lbs for.

Java, good, 4 lbs for.

## TEA—JAPAN.

T. W. G. &amp; Co., in 1 lb and ½ lb.

Papers, 25 lbs for.

Diamond L.

Tobacco, 1 lb for.

Uncolored, Basket-fired Japan, choice.

English Breakfast, good.

English Breakfast, good choice.

Formosa Oolong, best.

## MIXED TEAS.

Cinnamon.

Good medium.

The Nectar, choice.

Lime.

RICE—Best India, per lb.

## FLOUR.

Best Los Angeles, 5 cwt.

Pioneer.

Graham.

Rye flour.

Corn meal.

Oats, 50 lbs for.

California.

Eastern.

Hominy.

Wheat.

Cracked wheat.

Rice flour.

Market in all fabrics goods firm, with upward tendency.

## BUTTER.

Market firm.

T. W. G. &amp; Co., green grass, per roll.

Pork, per roll.

## EGGS.

Fresh, per doz.

## ONIONS.

Per cwt.

## CHEESE.

Best California, per lb.

Eastern cream, per lb.

Swiss, per lb.

Roquefort, per lb.

Porto, per lb.

Dinner, per piece.

Edam, large, per piece.

Sayago, per piece.

## BACON.

Medium, by the side, uncut, per lb.

Extra light breakfast, per lb.

## HAM.

California, sugar-cured, per lb.

Honey-cured, choice, per lb.

## LARD.

2½ lb cans.

1½ lb cans.

10 lb cans.

## POTATOES.

Per cwt.

## BEANS.

Pink per lb.

Small white.

Lima.

## CANDLES.

12 oz, 15 for.

12 oz, 12 for.

18 oz, extra, 8 for.

16 oz, extra, 6 for.

Paraffine, 6 for.

## COAL OIL.

[IN FIVE GALLON CANS.]

"Elite" brand, California oil.

White, Eastern Electric Light.

Gold Medal.

Pratt's Astral.

## CANNED GOODS.

Tomatoes, Eastern, per can.

2½ lbs, best California, 2 cans.

20c.

20c.

String beans, per can.

Peaches, Blackberries, Apples, etc.

Pie fruits.

Pies, 1 gal. cans.

French corn-beef—Libby's 2 lb cans.

Oysters—Bluepoint, 2 lb.

Bluepoint, 1 lb.

Light weight, 2 lb